

### Oklahoma World's Fair Work.

Chas. G. Woodworth, proprietor of the Omega, Poultry Yards of Omega, Oklahoma, breeder of the standard varieties of chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys, pigeons and pet stock, is preparing to make an exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition which, he says, will show as many and as fine specimens of poultry from Oklahoma as are seen from all the other states combined. Mr. Woodworth expects to show at least one hundred varieties of blooded fowls.

C. A. McNabb, of Oklahoma City, who has been placed in charge of the Territorial Horticultural Exhibit, is also temporarily in charge of the agricultural exhibits. He has made ample provisions in his horticultural arrangements to take care of any agricultural material that it is desired to preserve for exhibition. Any who have agricultural specimens of any sort which they desire to place on exhibition should correspond at once with Mr. McNabb.

Owing to the difficulty involved in securing the delivery of jars and in getting the proper preserving fluids at the different county seats, the World's Fair Commission has decided to change its plan somewhat for collecting the horticultural exhibit. A central depot is now established at Oklahoma City in charge of C. A. McNabb, a fruit grower and an expert in exhibit matters. An auxiliary station is established at Enid in charge of Jos. Meibergen, chairman of the board. It is requested that any who have specimens of fruit they wish to exhibit will correspond at once with the station nearest them as regards manner of shipment, etc. If shipment is made each specimen should be separately wrapped in paper and the whole carefully crated or laid in baskets and shipped by express.

The only thing needed in addition to this careful arrangement to secure Oklahoma a first-class horticultural exhibit is a proper interest on the part of the fruit growers. It is urged that they not defer sending in specimens early so as to run no risk of losing by decay or damage before they can be placed in the preserving compounds.

The World's Fair Commissioners are making a special effort to secure an exhibition of Oklahoma wheat that will eclipse anything from the states. At least a thousand samples of wheat from the Territory are desired. Any farmer who has noteworthy grain from the standpoint of yield or weight is urged to save four or five quarts. He may send these to the honorary commissioner of his county, making sure to put his name and address, the number of his land, the yield per acre, and the weight per bushel on tags, which he can secure, together with sacks, on request, from his honorary commissioner or any member of the commission. All this data will appear with the sample at the exposition. —Fred L. Wenner, Sec'y., Kingfisher.